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In many cities across India, NGOs and state government agencies have set up helplines and delivery services for disabled people during the coronavirus lockdown. We have put together a list for you and this will be updated on a regular basis. If you would like to add to this list, email editor@newzhook.com (mailto:editor@newzhook.com)

Before we get to the list of private organisations who are helping the disabled community get medicines, groceries and other essential supplies at the doorstep, here is a <u>link to the</u> <u>government helplines (http://www.swavlambancard.gov.in/cms/grievance-of-pwd)</u> set up across different states. You can access these numbers if you wish to reach out to government officials for help.

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The Office of the Commissioner for Persons with Disability, Maharashtra and Pune can approached for help. <u>This is the link.</u>

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MUMBAI

Project Mumbai – Free delivery of groceries/packed food/medicines.

For groceries/packed food:

Call – <u>+91-98795 08404 (tel:+919879508404)</u>. WhatsApp – <u>+91 96533 30712</u> (tel:+919653330712)

For medicines:

Call – +91 9992999999 (tel:+919992999999)

Project Mumbai has also compiled a list of hospitals in Mumbai which are treating patients with Covid. Click here (https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1RSpxUIHX49z7pY4XXHS-M07ZXHY5IUnMNOVTmJxLOmg/edit#gid=1563137081) for the list.

Disabled people in Mumbai who need dialysis can call **Ezy Mov** at +91 90290 90880 (tel:+919029090880)

Samavisht Foundation is also providing this service in partnership with Ezy Mov. Click <u>here</u> (https://pages.razorpay.com/pl EeeRyR5ks2WQaj/view) to book the service.

BENGALURU

Samarthanam Trust for the Disabled – Reach out for basic groceries and mask kits.

Call:

- Naveen +91 94498-64786 (tel:+919449864786)
- Sunil +91 94498-64691 (tel:+919449864691)

KickStart Cabs and **Big Bazaar** are partnering to deliver groceries and vegetables to people's homes. WhatsApp your grocery list to <u>+91 81056-00445 (tel:+918105600445)</u>

NEW DELHI

Astha – For essential supplies as well as services like counselling.

Call:

- Rakesh +91 995608-74098 (tel:+919560874098)
- Danish +91 98914-14742 (tel:+9199891414742)

Project Delhi – Providing groceries/medicines.

For groceries, Call/WhatsApp – +91 74111-67030 (tel:+917411167030)

For medicines, Call/WhatsApp - +91 8010 33000 (tel:+91801033000)

Samarthyam India

Call - +91 98105-58321 (tel:+919810558321)

Whats App: +91 97111-90806 (tel:+919711190806)

Viklang Sahara Samiti Delhi

Call **Kapil Kumar Aggarwal** at <u>+91 98110-15733 (tel:+9199811015733)</u> and <u>011-27915733 (tel:011-27915733)</u>

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ASL Foundation Trust

Call **Preeti Gupta** at <u>+91 98186-93445 (tel:+919818693445)</u> and <u>+91 011-27911345</u> (tel:+9101127911345)

CHENNAI

The Tamil Nadu government has set up two helplines for disabled people to call with queries and requests for supplies.

Dial toll free at +1-800-425-0111 (tel:+1-800-425-0111).

For WhatsApp and Video Calling: <u>+91 97007-99993 (tel:+919700799993)</u>. Sign language interpretation facility available.

For a list of grocery stories that are delivering to homes, <u>click this link</u>

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WARANGAL

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TIRUPATI

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VIJAYAWADA

Youth4Jobs Karuna Helpline – Call **Sayed Saleem** between 5 pm to 7 pm at <u>+91 87127 21500</u> (tel:+918712721500)

PUNJAB

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TRICHY

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DEHRADUN

Youth4Jobs Karuna Helpline – Call **Nidhi Rana** between 8 am to 10 am at <u>+91 84487 64159</u> (tel:+918448764159).

AHMEDNAGAR

Youth4Jobs Karuna Helpline – Call **Vijay Satdive** between 5 pm to 7 pm at <u>+91 73506 40303</u> (tel:+917350640303).

Anamprem Bhawan - Call Ajit Kulkarni at +91 90110 20174 (tel:+919011020174).

CHITRAKOOT, UTTAR PRADESH

Drishti - Call Shankarlal Gupta at +91 97211 57193 (tel:+919721157193).

KOLKATA

Sruti Disability Rights Centre – For online/telephonic counselling services for disabled people and caregivers – Email sruti.darc@gmail.com (mailto:sruti.darc@gmail.com).

Big Bazaar – Call toll free number <u>1800-266-1686 (tel:1800-266-1686)</u>. for groceries. This is for disabled people and elderly and is available between 10 am and 6 pm.

SRINAGAR

Save the Destitute Foundation - Call Zaheer Jan at +91 98584-23611 (tel:+919858423611).

Humanity Welfare Foundation – Call <u>+91 70061-39823 (tel:+917006139823)</u>, <u>+91 94197-46398</u> (tel:+919419746398) +91 99065-37577 (tel:+919906537577).

Big Basket has launched Preferential Delivery Service for disabled people in 26 centres. You can get this service by <u>filling out this form</u>

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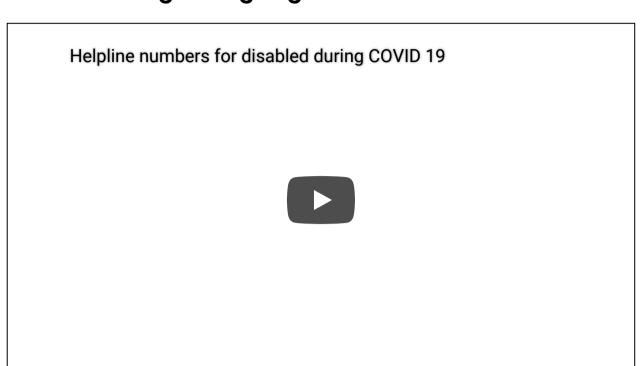
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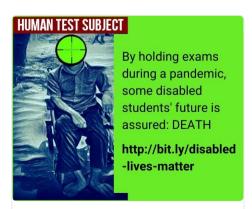
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